

Department of Human Services

Division of Youth Services

Quarterly Performance Report

In Compliance with Act 1222 of 1995

Report Period July 2004 – September 2004



Executive Summary

July 2004 – September 2004

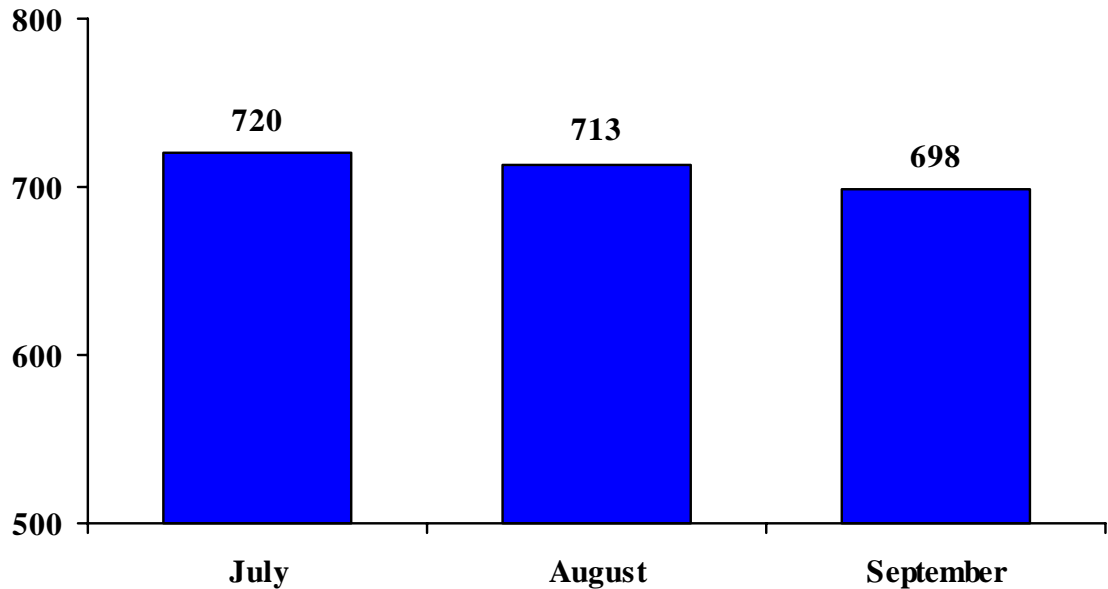
In the first quarter of FY 2005 the number of juvenile offenders in state custody remained the same as the prior quarter at 720. This is the lowest census for youth in Division of Youth Services custody since October 2003. This is attributed to an increase in the number of youth on aftercare (5.4%) from the prior quarter even though new commitments decreased by 9%, and the number of youth in DYS juvenile facilities decreased 8.9%.

Basic demographic characteristics remain unchanged. The population of youth in custody is predominately male (82%), slightly under half (47%) were committed on misdemeanor offenses, over half (53%) are sixteen years of age or older.

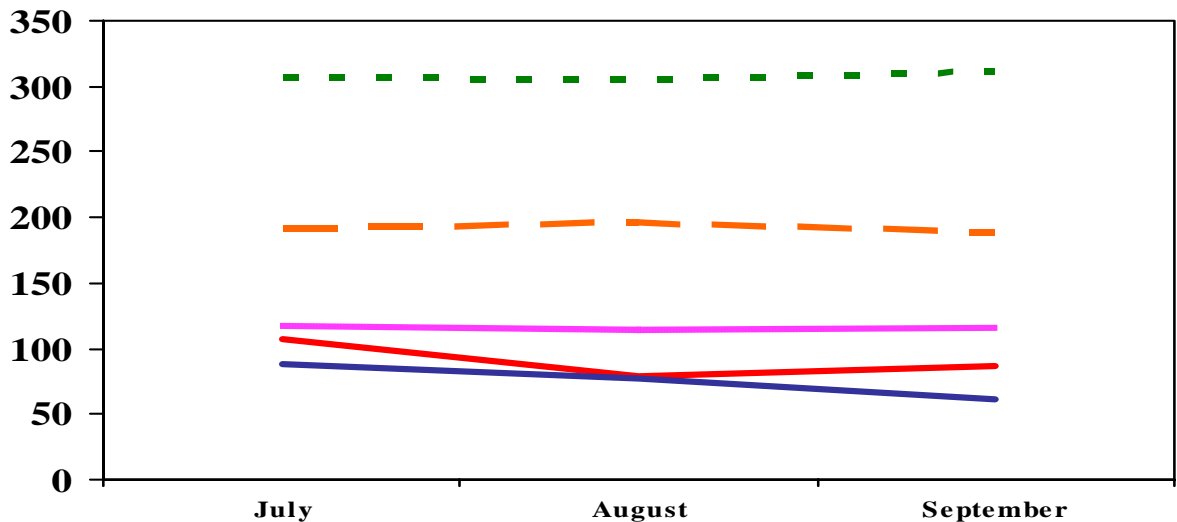
In the fourth quarter, twenty-six (26) incidents of suspected abuse or neglect were reported to the DYS internal affairs unit. Of the twenty-six (26) incidents, the Arkansas State Police determined four (4) merited investigation. Of the four (4), one (1) was determined unfounded, and three (3) remain under investigation.

Population Profiles
July 2004 – September 2004

Total Population in DYS Custody



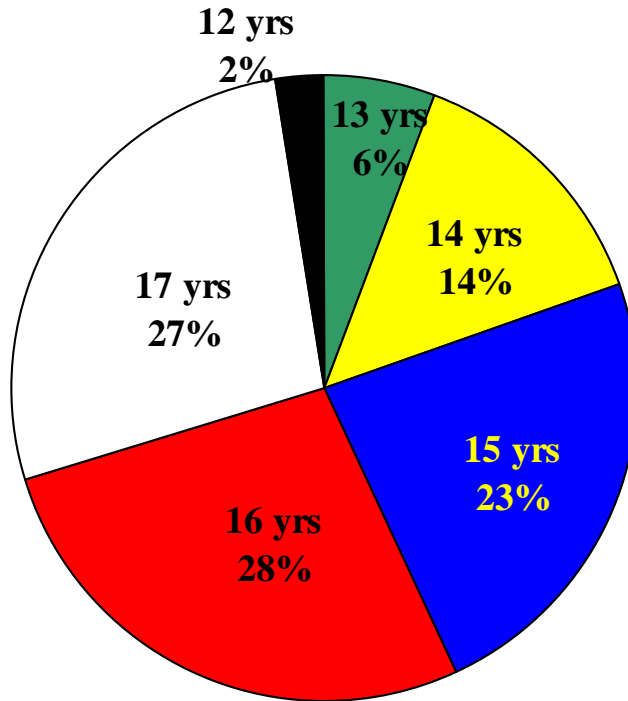
Population by Program Type



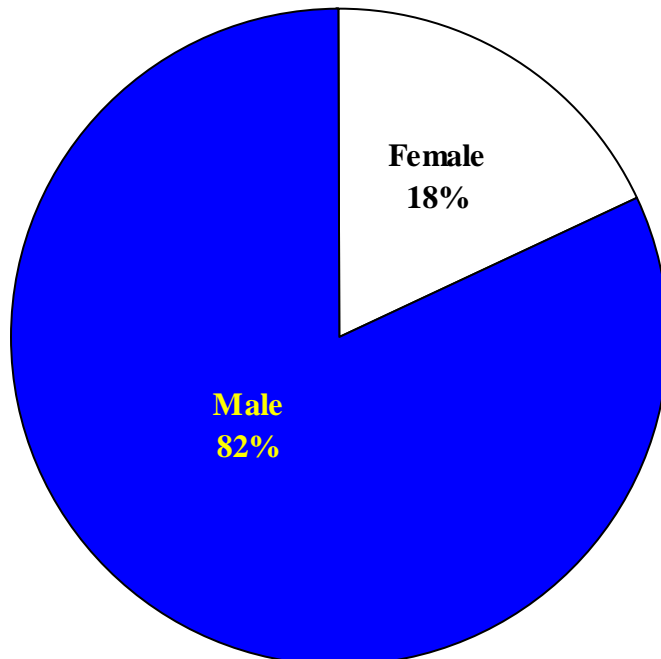
— CAYSC Open Campus
— Alternate Placement
— Intakes

- - Serious Offender
- - Aftercare

Commitments by Age

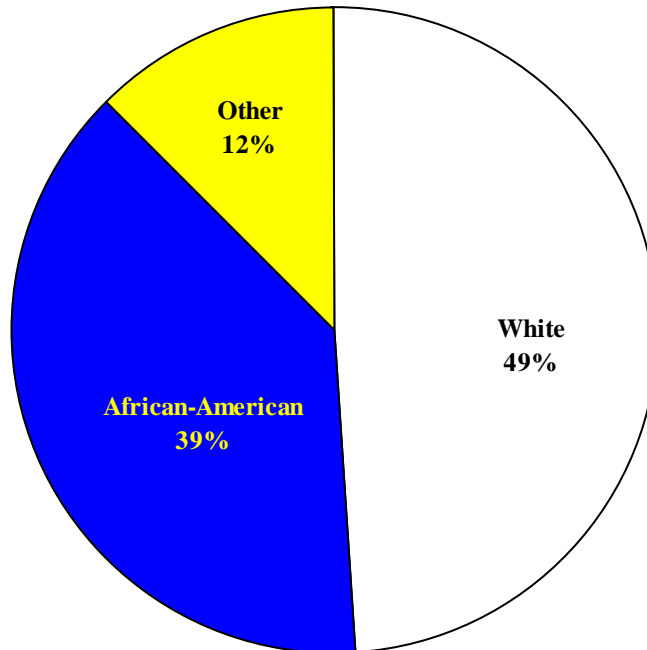


Commitments by Gender

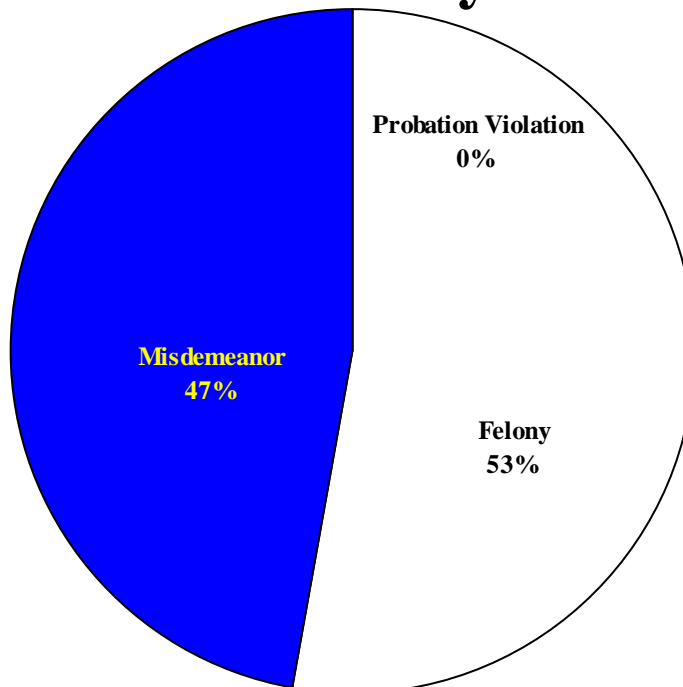


**Profiles of Juveniles Committed
July 2004 – September 2004**

Commitments by Race



Commitments by Offense



INCIDENTS

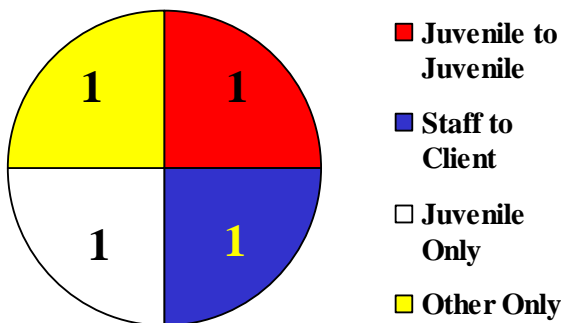
Incidents Accepted by the Child Abuse Hotline

July 2004 – September 2004

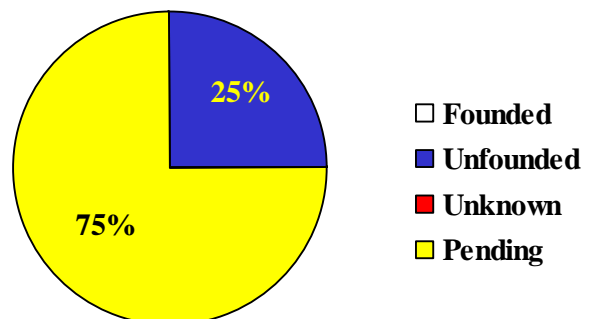
REFERRED TO HOTLINE		INCIDENTS ACCEPTED BY HOTLINE			
26		4			
Incident Type	Cases Accepted by ASP	Cases Pending	Cases Founded	Cases Unfounded	Case Status Unknown
ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	0	0	0	0	0
FIGHT	0	0	0	0	0
NEGLECT	1	1	0	0	0
OTHER	1	0	0	1	0
PHYSICAL ABUSE	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0
SEXUAL ABUSE	1	1	0	0	0
SEXUAL MISCONDUCT	1	1	0	0	0
TOTAL	4	3	0	1	*0

* Since the Hotline and the Investigations unit are two separate sections within the Arkansas State Police, the Hotline may accept an incident called in, then later the incident will not be investigated by the Investigations Unit after review of the circumstances. The DYS IAU never receives a follow-up on these reports to know whether they were ever investigated. Some of these incidents occurred prior to the juvenile being committed to DYS. The IAU does not receive notification of the findings in these incidents. Some incidents that are reported in one quarter may not be finalized by the State Police until sometime within the next quarter.

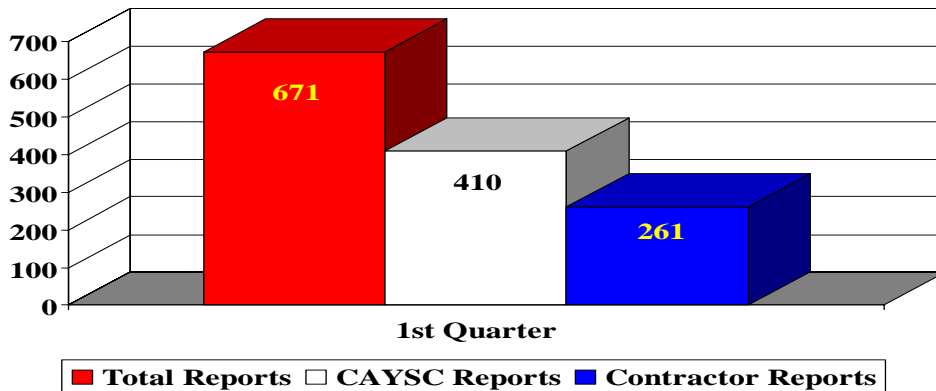
Category of Incidents Accepted by Child Abuse Hotline



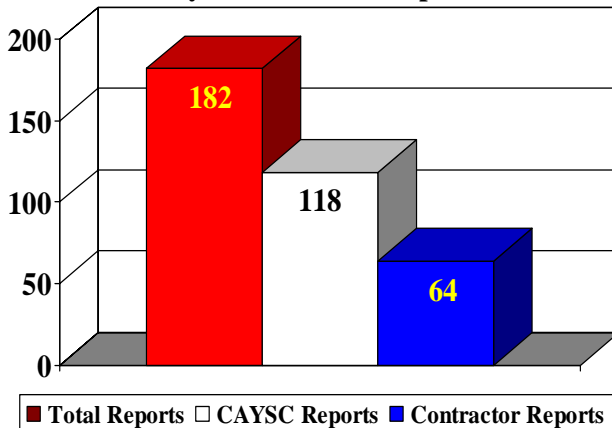
Status of Cases Accepted by Child Abuse Hotline



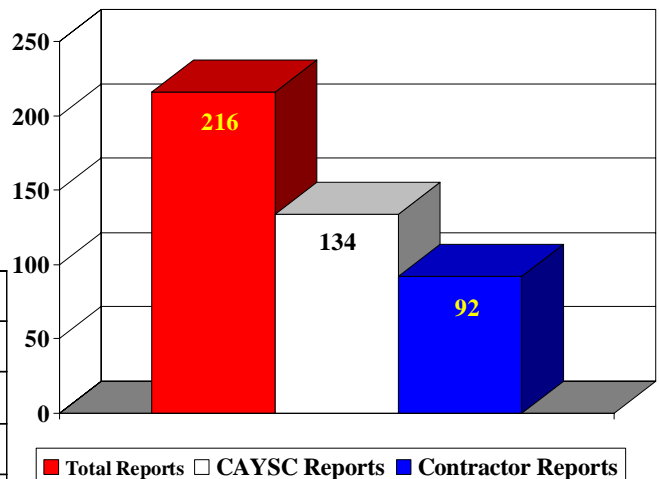
First Quarter FY2005 Incident Reports



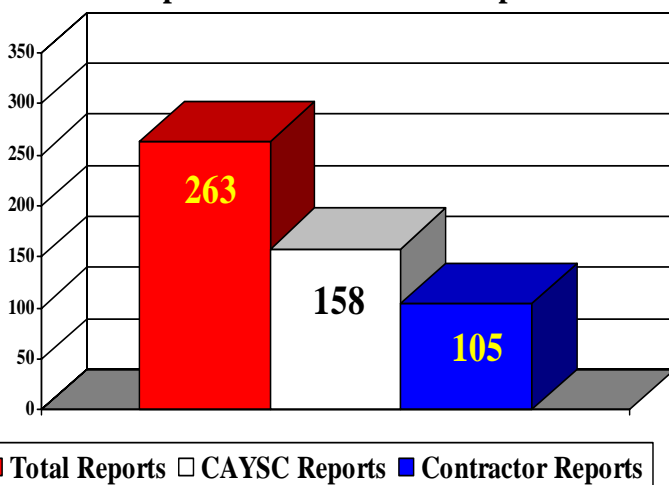
July 2004 Incident Reports



August 2004 Incident Reports

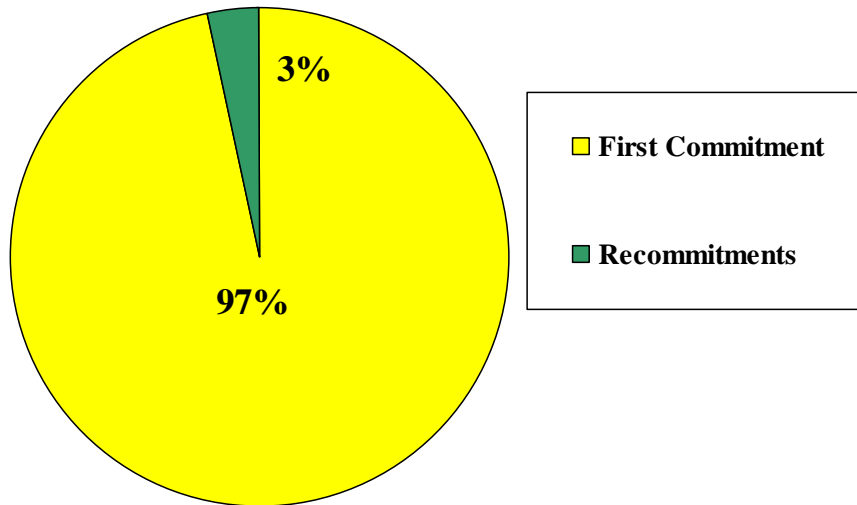


September 2004 Incident Reports



COMMITMENTS

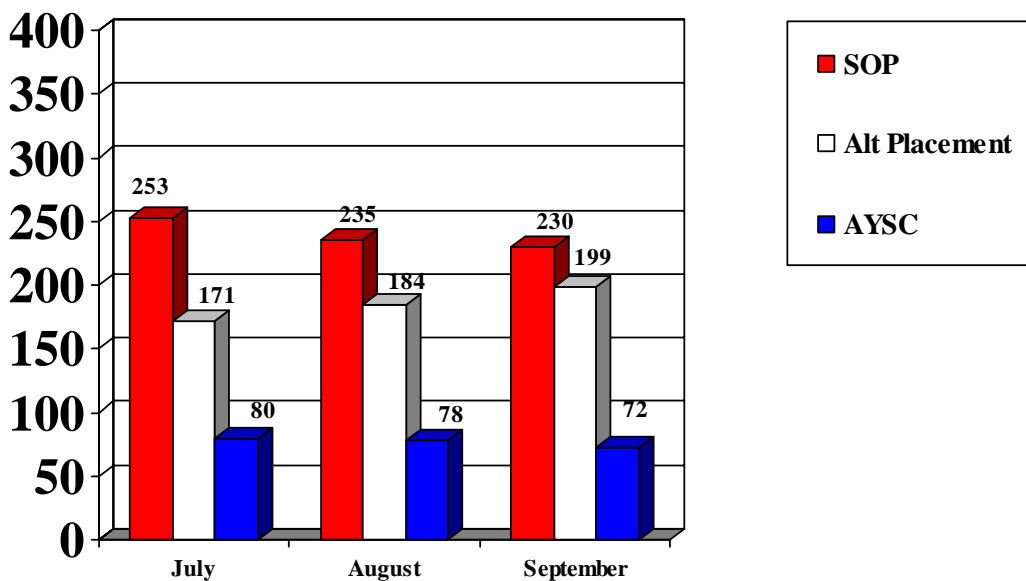
All Juveniles Committed During the Quarter



Recommitments encompass all juveniles previously released from DYS custody and committed again during the quarter.

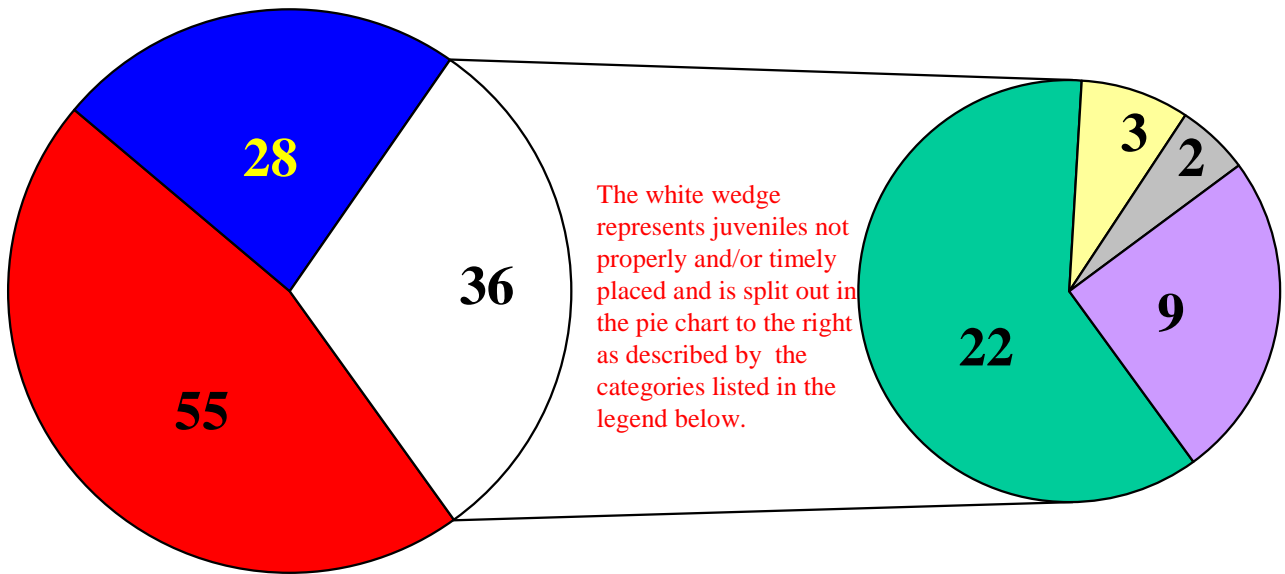
Average Length of Stay in Days for Juveniles Released

April 2004 – June 2004



RECOMMENDED PLACEMENTS

Juveniles Who Had a Multi-Disciplinary Staffing During the Quarter



■ Properly and Timely Placed

Juvenile was appropriately placed based on treatment plan within 14 days of Multi-Disciplinary Team Staffing.

■ Properly Placed After Holding Period

Juvenile was appropriately placed based on treatment plan 14-30 days following Multi-Disciplinary Team Staffing.

■ Not Timely Placed

Juvenile was appropriately placed based on treatment plan in excess of 30 days of Multi-Disciplinary Team Staffing.

■ Not Properly Placed

Juvenile was not appropriately placed based on treatment plan within 30 days of Multi-Disciplinary Team Staffing.

■ Not Properly & Timely Placed

Juvenile was not placed within 30 days of Multi-Disciplinary Team Staffing and was not appropriately placed based on treatment plan.

■ Pending Placement

Report of Deficiencies/Corrective Actions
Arkansas Department of Health
Compliance and Health Inspections
July 1, 2004 – September 30, 2004

Lewisville

Programmatic

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Administrative

(Including Maintenance)
Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Fire/Safety/Health

(Including Sanitation)
Number new deficiencies – 26
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 26
Pending correction – 0

Plumbing/Natural Gas

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

HVACR

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Food Service/General Sanitation

Number new deficiencies – 43
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 43
Pending correction – 0

Controlled Substance

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

TOTALS

Number new deficiencies – 69
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 69
Pending correction – 0

Mansfield

Programmatic

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Administrative

(Including Maintenance)
Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Fire/Safety/Health

(Including Sanitation)
Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Plumbing/Natural Gas

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

HVACR

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

Food Service/General Sanitation

Number new deficiencies – 5
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 5
Pending correction – 0

Controlled Substance

Number new deficiencies – 0
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 0
Pending correction – 0

TOTALS

Number new deficiencies – 5
Number carried over – 0
Number corrected – 5
Pending correction – 0